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FOR ASSISTANT SECRETARY SHLAUDEMAN

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SUBJECT: ROSENBAUM CASE

1. BELL AND I TOOK ADVANTAGE OF A LONG, INTIMATE TALK WITH
PRESIDENT LAKAS OCTOBER 27 TO RAISE THIS.

2. THOUGH FEELING BOTH OFFICIALLY UNCOMFORTABLE AND PER-
SONALLY INEXPERT IN DOING SO, WE FELT WE HAD TO PROPOSE A
NEW "DEAL". OTHERWISE THE MATTER WOULD HAVE GONE NOWHERE.

3. WE MENTIONED \$150,000, PERHAPS PAYABLE IN INSTALLMENTS.

4. LAKAS, ADMITTING PANAMA'S "MORAL" INDEBTEDNESS IN THIS
CASE, SPOKE OF PANAMA'S POOR FINANCES. BUT HE PROMISED HE
WOULD PLEAD THE CASE WITH TORRIJOS. THAT IS MORE THAN HAS
BEEN PROMISED US BEFORE.

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